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Fanged Mysteries: Exploring Spider Venom and Bites

Short Answer Key

1. Venom helps spiders subdue and digest their prey.
2. Black widow.
3. Brown recluse spider venom can cause tissue damage.
4. Most spiders behave towards humans by biting in self-defense if threatened.
5. Spiders are important in ecosystems because they help control insect populations.

